

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Present Application:

Applicants : Philip T. Feldsine *et al.*
Title : COMPOSITION, FORMULAE, DEVICES AND METHODS FOR
CONTROL OF SPECIFICITY AND INCLUSIVITY OF
MICROORGANISMS CONTAINING CLOSELY RELATED
ANTIGEN EPITOPES
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Washington, DC 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 5-26 and 28-38.

REMARKS

Claims 1-4 and 27 are pending in the present application. Claims 5-26 and 28-38 have been cancelled without prejudice.

All of the claims remaining in the application are now clearly allowable. Favorable consideration and a Notice of Allowance are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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